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"The Advertiser, as the leading Republican paper of Hawaii." These few news item, which would be the proper place, but as an assumption which the official organ hopes to jam down the throat of whatever delegates it may hope to browbeat. "The Advertiser, a Republican paper;" excuse these

HARMONIOUS CONVENTION.

The opening session of the Republican Territorial convention has been characterized by a cordial spirit of united and barmonious action highly gratifying to every delegation, and we believe acceptable to the Republicans whom they represent

The wheels of organization are running so smoothly and with such absolute freedom from the cantankerous friction which disgruntled politicians would like to see forced upon the party. that the convention is decidedly uninteresting to Democratic sympathizers who thought to see the convention embroiled in a row similar to that forced upon the Honolulu mass meeting. The discussion has been temperate and the proceedings marked with dignity if not despatch. Ample opportunity has been pelago. allowed for full consideration of every detail, there have been no underhand machine tactics from any source, no slate made its appearance to give the calamity howlers of the clique represented by the Advertiser an oportunity to indulge in their favorite pastime of knifing the party.

The only contest of the morning on the temporary chairmanship arose from a difference of opinion as to the disposition of honrs between the islands of Hawaii and Oahu. Hon. J. L. Kaulukou representing the fifth district of Oahu carried the day with comparative ease, and was promptly given the unanimous support of the convention at the suggestion of Mr. Loebenstein.

Every detail of the proceedings points to the happy conclusion that factional dissension will not figure in tae first Territorial convention of Hawaii's Republicans. The best interests of the party as expressed by the majority vote are close to the heart of every to say there will be no disscusion, no break in the solid phalany of Have delegate. There has been and it is safe break in the solid phalanx of Hawaiian-Aemrican Republican workers.

INTEREST IN BICYCLE RACE.

The wheelmen of the city are very much interested in the bicycle race that will lead off the 11th of June events as it has been whispered about that there will be some very fast rid-ers on the track. R. A. Dexter, G. A. Martin, John Sylva ("Manoa Wonder") and L. W. Merrill are now in training for the race. The only other man who has so far consented to ride is Ulrich of the Honolulu Iron Works who has repeatedly beaten Allan Jones, one of the fastest Coast riders.

Ulrich is one of the Bay City wheelmen and as such he rode in the great hundred mile relay races that created such an interest on the Coast.

It is probable that Ulrich, Dexter and

Czarina in Port.

The S. S. Czarina with 1100 tons of general merchanoise consigned to W. G. Irwin & Co. came into port and hauled alongside the old Likelike wharf shortly after 7 o'clock this morning. She will haul alongside the Pacinc Mail wharf when the Carlisle City finishes nor work there.

The Cantina was to have left San Francisco on the 19th., the same day as the America Ma. ... but she was delayed until the next day. She has among her principal adipments, the following: 45,949 lbs sugar, 110 lbs tea, 31,295 lbs tobacco, 42 ctis wheat, 5 bxs soap, 464 evening. After deliberating two hours gals and 175 as whisky, 27 pkgs bicycles, 71 cs dices, 460 gais gin, 14 cs for \$5,000 damages against the Cana-electrical goods. 285 cs hardware, 46 dian-Australian Steamship Co. This pkgs machinery 70 pkgs onions, 102 is the third case tried and won out of bases paper, 95 bbis salmon, 1 bdi wire, the twenty-nine brought by Hogan's 1 roll leather, 66 cs hats and caps, 36 minstrels for Captain Hemming's repkgs groceries and provisions, 63 baies fusal to take them as passengers in ned goods, 4090 lbs beans, 4 cs boots head of the troupe, got \$2250, Thyons and shoes, 100 cs cigarettes, 3 cs cigars, \$175 and now Jenie Alexander \$5,000.

15 drums distillate, 41 ctls corn, 5 bdls Of course the verdicts were by different rope, 30 bxs candles.

PHILIPPINE CABLE SURVEY.

Washington, May 19.—A new prog-ress map of signal corps telegraph lines and cables in the Philippines just prepared under the direction of General dreeley is of especial interest at this time. It shows not only the system as it existed on March 31, but also projected military telegraph lines and ca-bles now in process of construction.

Telegraphic communication between Manila and the South has been entirely dependent upon the English cable to the Visayan islands of Panay, Negros and Cebu. This cable which was and Cebu. This cable which was broken by an earthquake on April 14 has not yet been repaired and the long graph route to the southern islands from Manila, which is now being constructed by the signal corps. The system recommended by General Mac-Arthur has been fully approved by Secretary Root and will be pushed to rapid completion. A signal cable has already been laid from Cebu to Leyte and is being extended eastward Samer and northward to Luzon via the island of Masbate. The military publican paper of Hawaii." These few scheme is to have long stretches of words are published in the editorial columns of the Advertiser, not as a line as possible, so as to ensure the greatest possible freedom from hostile interference with communication. The military telegraphic system of Cebu, via Samar, as soon as the English cable is repaired, will afford General MacArthur two routes by which to reach garrisoned posts in the department of the Visayas. The extension southward looks to the connection by cables of the very important islands of Cebu, Leyte and Mindanao. The latter island will be reached by a com-bined system of land lines and cables, via cable from Negros and thus all garrisons on this great island will be in speedy communication. Ultimately, it is expected that Mindanao will be con-nected by cable via Zahboanga, with Jolo and the latter with the Taui Taui group

It is expected that the entire Visayan group will be connected by military lines before July and that the southern system of cables and land lines will be in operation by the end of the rainy The extent and magnitude of the telegraph and cable operations of the signal corps in the Philippines is hardly realized or known. There are 160 first class telegraph offices, manned by nearly 200 skilled operators, who handle by telegraph on the island of Luzon alone about 300,000 words each day. In addition, there are about 150 long distance telephone stations in operation in various parts of the archi-

The work of the signal corps when completed will stretch through nearly fourteen degrees of latitude. Six signal corps cables are now in operation and in all probability the cables and land lines which were nearly two thousand miles in length on March 31 will aggregate at present 2,500 miles. While branches are for strictly military puroses the most of these lines are manent structures which will have a very important bearing in the development of the trade relations of the various islands

At St. Louis College.

The St. Louis Literary Society will present "Marmaduke," an original Irish drama in a proluogue and three acts, in the college music hall Thursday night, May 31. The college orchestra will play "Pearls of Gold" by Ouvier and the choir will sing Zeltler's See the Sun in Splendor Rising fore the curtain goes up. The follow-ing program of music will be rendered between acts:

Piano Duet-"Poet and Peasant" Solo and Chorus—"The Black

Edged Letter"...... Nevada
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Mandolin and Piano—"Zenda
Waltzes"..... Witmark Gay" Gounod
S. L. C. Choir.

March-"Wake up my Baby

S. L. C. Orchestra. The following will take part in the play: Emil A. Berndt, C. H. Rose, J. A. Shampson, B. Zablan, F. W. Weed, H. E. Murray, A. Rosa, M. Houghtailing, and Wm. Holona.

Grant Statue Unveiled.

Washington, May 19.-The statue of General Grant, presented by the Grand Army of the Republic to the Nation was unveiled in the great rotunda of the Capitol today and caborate ceremonies commemorative of the event were held in the Hall of Representatives in the presence of a great crowd. which included the widow, daughter and descendants of the hero of Appomattex, hundreds of his comrades in arms, the officers and committee of the Martin will be the scratch riders, while Grand Army of the Republic, and many the other men will be given handicaps. disinguished in military, political and social circles.

The statue of the pre-eminent chief of the Union forces during the Civil War represents the contrubutions of thousands of his comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, none of whom was allowed to subscribe more than 15 cents, and is the result of a movement started shortly after General Grant's death in July, 1885. It is the work of Franklin Simmons, American sculptor.

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COMMANDER TODD RELIEVED.

New York, May 19.—A special to the Herald from Washington, says: Secretary Long has relieved Com-mander C. C. Todd from duty as hydrographer of the Navy and placed him under suspension. This action is the direct result of ef-

forts of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, supported by Mr. Cannon and other A SPRING MESSAGE ocean and lake surveys from the Navy It is confidently expected by Commander Todd and his friends that when the facts receive further consideration he will be reinstated to duty and prop-er steps taken to relieve his record of the stigma now resting upon it.

Commander Todd has been zealously aboring to keep the survey work under the Navy, because he believes with his brother officers that the Navy and the merchant marine can obtain better charts and be more efficiently served than if the Coast and Godetic Survey

had the work in charge.

Arguments advanced by the Navy undoubtedly had much to do with the action of the Senate in restoring the provision appropriating \$100,000 carrying on the surveys under the Navy. This action was extremely distasteful to the Coast and Geodetic Sur-

Representative Cannon wrote to Secretary Long asking him if the hydro-grapher had sent any letters to "individuals, corporations, boards of trade name receives consideration among all or chambers of commerc" in relation to fashionable dressers, and is a guaranthe action of the House in connection with the ocean and lake surveys, Commander Todd responded that he had

Then Mr. Cannon asked for a copy of a letter sent to the Hydrograph offices. Commander Todd sent the communication, but it was shown to be addressed to "The Branch Hydrographic Office, New York," "Branch Hydrographic Office, Chicago," and so on, and Com-mander Todd's friends insist that he was entirely correct in stating that no letters had been sent to "individuals,

Secretary Long decided to relieve Commander Todd as hydrographer pending a thorough consideration of the matter. The commander had the support of the entire service in the course he has pursued. Secretary Long has under consideration the question of what further action, if a constant of taken.

Golden Rule Bazaar's

New Book Bulletin

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